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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

Please allow for competition in the marketplace and avoid a monopoly system. This is so critical in our economy today and already were seeing huge monopolies in other industries. Lets not make the internet the next one. I appreciate your consideration for my opinions expressed here.

Thanks,

Trisha Shepherd